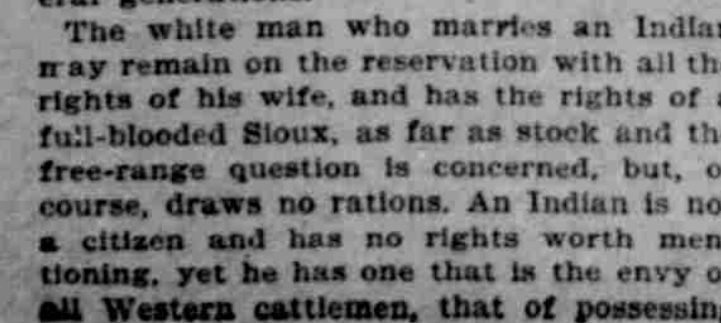


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on different parts of the reservation, wherever thirty pupils can be found to attend. Government appropriations also cover the whole expense of the Indian schools in the East. In fact, the squaw man has everything that he needs for his expense, except his stock is growing and multiplying on the surrounding hills. The families are always large. It is no uncommon sight to see eight or ten children under the age of fifteen in one family. Every child of the age of two weeks or more is registered in the family on the mother's book, and is entitled to full rations.

With the fortnightly beef issue and the monthly issue of food there is no "keeping the wolf from the door," as experienced by our early pioneers. Here there is a sure thing of food for the Indian and his wife, and half-breed, relative to the Indians as the full-bloods. Yet the squaw man's benefits do not end with merely food and clothing. The agreement of 1889 provided for the distribution of twenty-five thousand cows among the Indians, and the government has been carrying out the cattle business. And there will always be this twenty-five thousand cows, as they can, under no circumstances, be sold. They are branded "I. D.," this being the brand of the Indian Department. The government has no objection if the Indians can be taken to the nearest Indian farmer, who will exchange them for young breeding cows, and the old cows received are used in the regular beef issues. Although none of the "I. D." cows can be sold, the government has no objection if the property of the Indian or half-breed are branded "F. O. F.," and also with the Indian's private brand. That the Indian may have a near market for his "F. O. F." cattle, the government buys, each summer, from the Indians, for the same price, the beef that is paid for the cattle that are used in the beef issues. This summer the price is \$2.50 per hundred. Last year it was \$1.25, and next year it will be \$2.50 on the hoof. Procreations are taken by the Indian De- partment, and the government pays the women from cheating the Indian out of everything he has. All horses and cows issued

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HABITS OF A MILLIONAIRE.

A man whose income has been about a day finds it hard to jump at once to spending of from two to three thousand dollars a day. Mr. Stratton at present not attempting to live up to his income. The little yellow cottage in which he lives in Colorado Springs did not, I venture to estimate, cost more than \$1,500, and the servant girls, who, with their sleeves rolled up, came to the door when I called, looked as though

It is generally known that a large part of the Cripple Creek ore is of a very low grade. Much of it has to be reduced by the cyanide process in order to pay, but there are spots in nearly every mine where large amounts of high-grade gold have been found. The high-grade ore of the Victor mine averages about \$200 a ton, and the average value of the shipments of Cripple Creek ore last year is estimated at \$100 a ton.

twenty-four hours could frequently make the day seem as long as the night. He understood what a change this would make in the comfort of the people of Baltimore when one reflects how much heat is absorbed during the day by the bricks and stones and slowly radiated at night. It then happens, in a prolonged hot spell, that the nights become more exasperating than the days. The process of absorption goes on all day after day, and the heat is retained the night until towards the end, if the wind happens to die away in the evening the night becomes almost insupportable.

the modern schools for boys and girls; two to elementary education, and one to almshouses. The elementary schools, which there are half a dozen, are now free and supplement their two shares of the endowment by earning government grants. For the higher schools fees are charged, ranging from about £4 10s up to £12 15s a year. This is considered cheap for a very complete curriculum in the